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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Bonanza has a new advertisement this week, and it may profit you to read it.

The thermometer has been hovering lovingly about zero all week, but Hicks promises an early let-up.

Star of the West Lodge meets Saturday evening of this week, and all Masons are invited to be present.

Owing to the illness of Judge Zwart, the time of holding the February term of the Probate Court has been changed from the second to the fourth Monday in this month. Therefore, those having business before this court will wait patiently until Monday the 25th.

Two weeks ago Mr. A. Begley sold his farm, known as the Claude Russell place, to Mr. A. Zeitlinger of Gadsdill. Last week Mr. Z. removed to the farm and is now with his family occupying the premises. He will probably convert his new possession into a fruit farm.

Additions in stock at the Union Market: Trunks, Valises and Satchels; Clocks, Purses, Pocket Books, Traveling Straps; Queensware and Glassware; Crockery—all at panic prices. The latest styles and fresh stock just received. Saddlery and Harness. Regular Groceries. A smash in prices going on at W. P. McCARVER'S.

The young German who was thrown from the train a couple of months ago, and lately instituted suit for damages against the railroad company, is no longer a denizen of the Valley. His case was compromised Monday, and Tuesday night he left for Wisconsin—presumably with sufficient cash in his purse to bar the devil who is said to dance in empty pocket-books.

The House at Jefferson doesn't want the boys to play base ball of a Sunday. How eminently moral we are getting to be! We suggest that turkey dinners and wife-kissing on the sacred day be also prohibited. It is a comfort to know that while some of the Solons may not object to opening a fat jack-pot with three on the first day of the week, they draw the line at wicked base-ball. Their game must be tempered with intellectuality.

Sheriff O'Neal has more boarders than were lodged with him a week ago. Five are United States prisoners, as follows: John Mullins, of Iron county, sent up for about sixty days, on sentence and fine and costs; Sam Harvey, James Hutchinson and Joe Sheely, of New Madrid county, serving out \$10 fine and costs for running a flatboat with a saloon attachment, without a license from Uncle Sam; and Sewell T. Huff, Oregon county, for cutting government timber. The two others are Henry Woods and Frank Rice, convicted of larceny, and sent up to serve out fines and costs.

It has been intimated that W. W. Nail, Chief Deputy of U. S. Marshal Lynch, will commence a suit for libel against the Post-Dispatch. Walter is an Iron county boy, and has many friends and well-wishers in this vicinity, all of whom feel confident that he will win his suit and recover damages in a round sum. The P-D is a live, enterprising paper, full of snap and vim; but when it puts forth, as the counterfactual presentment of a handsome, reputable citizen, such a picture as that contained in its last Sunday's issue, it is time to call a halt. The damages ought to be laid at at least \$25,000.

List of letters remaining in the Post-Office at Ironton, Mo., for the month ending Jan. 31, 1894. If not called for within thirty days, they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office:  
Beard James Ferris M K Mrs  
Buckman S C Klammer Mrs  
Caldwell Miss Luke George Mr  
Collier W B Mrs Luke G W Mr  
Davis Lucy Miss Miller John J W  
Davis Jennie Miss Rooney M Miss  
Edwards John Mr Thomas J Mr  
Young Thos Mr  
Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of this list. A. P. VANCE, P. M.

The main dwelling on W. H. Fisher's farm, two miles and a half southeast of Ironton, was burned to the ground Saturday afternoon. The fire was first discovered on the roof, and had there been help at hand, the house might have been saved; but the men folks were absent, and all that could be done was to carry out the contents, which were all rescued from the flames. Wm. Mayhew, whose family occupied the house, was in town at the time of the accident, and knew nothing of it until he had returned half-way home. Loss about \$2000, none of which, we regret to learn, was covered by insurance.

The County Court, at special session, last Monday awarded the fees of the Poor Farm and the care of paupers to Wm. Depeu, his being the lowest and best bid. There were six sealed bids submitted to the court as follows:

Bidder.	Farm.	Pauper.
Ben Olive	\$ 75 00	\$7 25
Thos. Talley	180 00	7 25
Wm. Mayhew	170 00	7 00
A. R. Mainey	175 00	7 00
J. B. Hammon	185 00	8 25
Wm. Depeu	185 00	7 00

The amount bid for the lease of the farm "as for the period of one year, and the figures under "pauper" represent the price of their keeping per month. It is the general opinion that Mr. Depeu will make an excellent superintendent.

Never, since Ironton was a city, was there so much sleighing crowded within two weeks. Everything has been taken off of wheels and put upon runners; rolling has subsided into gliding, and the rattle of the trace-chains into the silvery jingling of the bells, while the hoarse call of the driver is mingled with the merry laughter of the maiden gone a-sleighing. The best nips, but that's no matter; there are youth and health and buoyant spirits to overcome the depression

of the down-looking mercury. But we are getting along in years, the cold penetrates to the inner temple of life, and we long for the days when gentle Spring will again assume her milder reign. So mote it be!

We understand that the U. S. Attorney and the U. S. Marshal of the Eastern District of this State have received no fees for over six months. The arrangement to the U. S. Commissioners is for about the same length of time. Uncle Sam is behind with Commissioner Fox over nine months. Officers who receive salaries are paid promptly. Why should not officers who receive fees be attended to with the same dispatch? There is a suspicion that certain officers in the Treasury Department are playing into the hands of favored attorneys at Washington. Delaying accounts, they hope will necessitate the employment of one of these gentlemen; then a division of fees will be in order. The attention of Mr. Dockery is called to this matter.

Under the heading, "The New-Comers in Jail," the Bastille Post thus celebrates the recent additions to Sheriff O'Neal's family:

First was shoe-stealer, who lived in a cave. By coming to jail his life was saved; Fifty days in jail he must stay, Before he can go his way.

Next are hay-stealers two; One has fifty dollars the other forty-two; To pay their fine they will try, Then again on their road they'll high.

Then comes the man who tied did make, Got his timber out of Uncle Sam's brake; To pay his fine he did fail, So the judge says thirty days in jail.

There's the man who thought to make a farm, But only Uncle Sam did harm; So there's no use to hollow or shout— Its sixty long days before you get out.

Now comes the Washington county whiskey man, Who thought to make a stand; The judge says, "Ten dollars and cost," So now in Ironton jail he's lost.

And last are New Madrid Whiskey's two, Who lost their pigs and fat hogs; They've got the cost and ten dollars fine, But they seem to stand it without a whine.

About twelve years ago Henry Barnhouse, Esq., located in the Valley and started a small grocery business. His success is a monument of what rigid economy and strict attention to business will do to bring success. Notwithstanding the hard times and the depression of business in the Valley, caused by the shutting down of the mines, Mr. Barnhouse has prospered enterprise through the breakers and over the quicksands so skillfully that the year 1894 finds him with a flourishing trade. After he started with his small stock of goods, some time in the year '83 or '84, he soon found that he could make it pay and purchased the building he was then occupying. Year by year he added to his stock until he now occupies two large buildings and can accommodate the public with anything from a fish-hook to a silk dress. Mr. Barnhouse has the rare and necessary faculty of carefully noting the wants of the public, as well as these changes in its taste and preferences that are always taking place. So that when you want some article that is not usually found in the stock of the ordinary store, you will be directed to go to Barnhouse. Mr. Barnhouse has associated his two sons with him recently, and has added a dry goods department, he retaining oversight of the whole. From the grocery department you will be accommodated with oranges and lemons from Florida; bananas from the West Indies; as well as other kinds of tropical fruits. He keeps on hand a supply of mackerel, codfish and halibut, and game in season. Also, a full line of patent medicines, and perhaps the most complete stock of smoking and chewing tobacco in the Valley, embracing nearly every brand that is now made. A full line of canned goods is always kept in stock. Mr. Barnhouse makes coffee a specialty; he has on hand some seventeen different grades. The most fastidious user of the berry can be satisfied. He has in this department a full line of teas, sugars, and cutlery, and supplies the youth with school books. In fact, you will find very few articles in the general trade that you cannot be supplied with at his emporium. In the brick building adjoining his old stand, you will find a complete assortment of dry goods and notions, laces, perfumery, and what other article he keeps a full supply of the finest brands in the market. Also, in this department he takes orders for tailor made clothing. His book of samples shows from one hundred and fifty to two hundred different kinds of cloth, from which you can obtain a single garment or an entire suit, and in the event the article does not come up to representation, either in quality or fit, it doesn't matter, the return will not be required to take it. The room which he occupies as a dry goods store has its floor covered with nice bright linoleum, and is fitted up in excellent style. It is one of the pleasantest places in town at which to call, and Mr. Barnhouse and his sons take pleasure in showing you their stock. He wants his old friends and patrons to call on him and examine for themselves in which event several parties will have pleasure; you who call, and the gentlemen who receive you. It gives us pleasure to pay this small tribute to one of Ironton's most deserving and unassuming citizens. Long may he tarry with us!

Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers in the best, handiest, safest, surest, cleanest, most economical and satisfactory dye ever invented. It is the gentleman's favorite.

Discipline Vs. Education.

Ed. Register.—In "Normalite's" article of Dec. 29, 1894, he says: "Discipline, you know, is the principal foundation on which rests a teacher's reputation with the majority of our country's population, but we hope that education will become the chief basis of recommendation before the close of the present generation." You will find out, young man, before you have taught many terms that the opinions of the majority of our population are right. A good education is a poor discipline. I know a lady, a graduate of one of our eastern Normal schools, who holds a certificate for the state of California, which is a high recommendation of itself, who completely failed in a primary school because of the

lack of ability to govern it. Discipline should come first, with all the education you can add to it. From a peccatory standpoint, teachers in Missouri have very little to encourage them to seek a higher education, their salaries being disgracefully low. OLD FOGY.

## Annapolis News.

Ed. Register.—We were treated to several inches of "the beautiful" last week.

John Guger of St. Louis county has purchased the old Wm. Lewis farm, two miles south of this place, and will soon move among us to try his fortune on an Iron county farm. We wish him success. He came down last week to see his property, and seemed fairly well pleased with his bargain.

Albert Lashley, better known as "Duck Rattlehead," traded shoes with a tramp, while the latter lay asleep at Clarkson's mill Thursday night, and the next day, by the aid and advice of some of our people, the tramp had Duck arrested. Duck traded back with the tramp, and is now serving out a fifty days' term in the Iron county bastille.

The next day two men by the names of Rice and Woods were tried here for stealing hay. One pleaded guilty and got fifty days' sentence, and the other stood trial and received a fine of \$50 and costs, amounting to seventy-five dollars.

Wm. Welson, who has been in the railroad hospital with a sore toe, caused by a falling trunk, is at home at present, visiting his relatives and friends.

Mrs. Amanda Bradburn, better known as Amanda Justice, her maiden name, is at the residence of J. J. Francis, lying at the point of death. She would not give up to leave her little home on the Crane Pond road, where she has lived alone for years, but when perhaps too late she was brought to the residence of Mr. Francis.

D. A. Johnson's little daughter Mary was very sick with croup last night, but is better this morning.

Mr. Johnson was in Ironton yesterday.

Miss Corda Kisterson is very sick. Feb. 3d, 1895. MURPHY.

## Bellevue Briefs.

Ed. Register.—The boys who are fortunate enough to own or borrow a sleigh, are right in the "push," and the young folks are enjoying the sleighing immensely.

Miss Bertha Cole has entirely recovered from the effects of her fall on the ice.

Miss Belle Palmer is visiting in Arcadia, and will shortly return to Potosi.

E. M. Smith and wife of Graniteville dined with Mrs. G. W. Farrar recently.

Henson Muse returned to St. Louis, after spending some weeks with the home folks.

Charles Muse and wife have gone to their home in Jefferson county.

Mrs. Eugene Logan is quite sick with neuritis.

Rev. W. L. Boyer, preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning, in the interest of State Missions.

Harvey Bell, is preparing his scholars, of the Cedar creek school, for a public examination.

The school at Bellevue will also have public exercises the last day of school, the 28th.

Will Russell is traveling in Ark. in the interest of the McCormick Machine Co. Mr. R. is a good talker, and will doubtless be a success as a drummer.

Mrs. H. Dansman will spend a few days this week with Mrs. T. F. Walsh at her home in Graniteville.

Owing to the serious illness of her parents, Mrs. B. Lay left Sunday for the old home in St. Louis county.

Mr. Thompson has his new mill running, and, in spite of the cold weather, he has in several days' work last week. He has a contract with the Mo. car Co., and will ship as fast as he gets a car load.

Joe Reyburn was out last week to see his mother.

Tom Hood and James A. Reyburn are buying the surplus poultry in Bellevue, and shipping to St. Louis.

## From Graniteville.

Ed. Register.—Mrs. James Sizemore and daughters, Mrs. Matson, widow of late George Matson, have arrived home from an extended visit to St. Louis.

John Hughes, formerly Superintendent for the P. W. Schneider Granite Company, but now of St. Louis, spent a couple of days in town last week, returning to the city Sunday.

John Kerwin spent a day or so in Farmington last week.

Miss Josie Oelson visited with Miss Annie Oesterle, at Middlebrook Sunday.

William Martin, general manager for the Syenite Granite Company, with headquarters in St. Louis, was down on business last Thursday and Friday. Mr. Martin says he still has hopes of getting the Kansas City Federal building.

According to the intellect of the ground hog, we are in the midst of winter, and can yet look for a long spell of hard weather.

D. W. Oesterle and family of Farmington spent Sunday with their parents at Middlebrook.

The tinkle of sleigh bells, cow bells, and tin horns, are heard in nearly every direction these days, from early morn till late at night. This is certainly a record-breaker for real genuine sleighing snow, and equally so with the weather.

The order of the day, and also till late at night, with our small boys, and too, with saps who are not so small, is coasting; and while a large crowd of them were coasting on the hill just north of the Company store, last Friday night, William Ruple happened to a serious accident. Some eight or ten got onto the sled and started at a rapid rate, when all of a sudden the sled made a quick turn and went plunging into a pile of large logs, breaking William Ruple's leg between the knee and ankle. Dr. G. W. Farrar, Jr., was sent for and was soon on hand and set the broken limb. James Anderson, one of party, also received an ugly cut on the head, but nothing seriously has resulted so far.

Old lady Martin, of whom mention was made last week, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Michael Carey is lying very low with consumption.

Michael Foley, Jr., is feeling somewhat indisposed these days.

F. D. Gerson went to Poplar Bluff on Saturday last on business.

Sport with our Nimrods has been fairly good since the snow fell. Bill Ingraham is reported as killing 22 foxes, so far. Gus Meade comes next with 5 to his credit. Several other parties have also done reasonably well in eradicating the cunning little animals.

On Saturday evening last, about 6:30 o'clock, a beautiful doe ran right through the most thickly populated part of the town. Luckily for the doe, however, none of our crack shots were equal to the occasion, and she went on her way rejoicing. This is the second deer that has deliberately run through our town in open defiance to all lovers of such sport this winter.

Dr. Farrar and wife of Bellevue were in town in their new and handsome cutter on Sunday last.

Several of Ironton's young people were seen sleigh-riding through our town Sunday afternoon.

Business with our granite companies has generally been suspended since the cold weather set in. CAP.

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## Cape Girardeau.

Ed. Register.—The dreaded week of examination came and went; and we have been waiting a week for its results which we expect to get next Tuesday in the form of Term Reports.

During the past week, fifty new students have entered school. Among these, we are pleased to observe two faces that are familiar to many of the readers of the REGISTER. The persons alluded to are Miss Bertha Fairchild of Ironton and Mr. T. Henry Cureton of Red Point.

The "A" class enters upon this term's work with a full power. Following is its list of studies: Latin, Political Economy, Astronomy, English Literature, General History, and Mineralogy.

The Benton Literary Society is glad to welcome back into its ranks four of its former members in the persons of C. I. Garrett, M. C. Harby, S. P. De Celles, and T. H. Cureton. The society is now holding its regular sessions with W. E. Talley in the chair, C. F. Patterson behind the pen, J. A. Bradley at the bank, Mr. S. Winters at the bar, and K. E. Sherrill by the door. Joe Vaeth takes the chair when Willis is out, and Fred Cureton finds fault with what the members say. The first program of this term was rendered this afternoon in the presence of a large audience of members and visitors. The program consisted of two essays, a declamation, a debate, and a paper. The paper is what draws crowds of visitors. The Clio Society consisting of about thirty young ladies came up in full force. Several members of the Webster and Sorois Societies were present, besides some twenty or thirty girls and boys from the Literary Classes. We would note further among our visitors this P. M., Prof. Vandiver, Prof. Ivy, Prof. Vesey's father, and Rev. Tate. Prof. Vandiver and Bro. Tate addressed the society.

The four literary societies will give a joint entertainment at the Normal on the evening of the 22nd. The exercises will consist of declamations, orations, recitations, essays, tableaux, and songs appropriate to the occasion.

Prof. Wood's lecture has been postponed till Feb. 11th. His subject is "Literature. He will speak of the beauties, the pleasures, the culture, etc., found in and derived from good literature. Mr. Wood is a close thinker, and we expect a logical and interesting discussion of this his choice theme of all themes.

Co. H. W. J. Ham of Georgia, lectured at the Opera House last Monday night on "The Slogogaster in Politics."

All who heard him were delighted with his sparkling humor, his thrilling eloquence, and his perfect elocution. Our critics give him a place among the best orators our bureau has employed. No student can afford to miss such a lecture. It educates, inspires, and elevates the mind; nothing else will do. Then the students who never hears a good lecture lacks one of the requisites of a complete education.

The river has been blocked with ice for nearly a week, and footmen have been crossing on the ice for three days. A wagon and team would be safe on it now. We are getting the worth of our skates this winter. We have had more skating already this winter than we had in three winters before.

Professor Fontana, the Hypnotist, has been here all this week. He has had the Opera House pretty well filled four nights, and expects a larger crowd than ever to-night. All classes of persons attended his exhibitions. Professors, preachers, and philosophers go to study and investigate, gay people go to laugh at his pranks, and silly people go to be "hoodooed" and laughed at. He repeated all his pranks that I told you of before and did many more just as wonderful and ridiculous.

Feb. 2, 1895. NORMALITE.

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Prosecuting Attorney Renfro's Resume of the Wear Case.

The case of the State vs. Charles Wear, from its inception, has been the subject of much comment and has attracted more attention than the ordinary case of this kind on account of the influence of the defendant's friends and the peculiar effect this influence might exert over those whose duty it is to uphold and support the power and majesty of the law. Judge John G. Wear, being the defendant's father, it became necessary to elect a special judge to try the case.

The law provides three ways by which a special judge may be chosen in cases of this kind. Whenever the judge of any circuit shall be unable from any cause to hold a term of court in any county in his circuit, such term may, by request of the judge, be held by the judge of any other circuit, or the attorneys of the court who are present, but not less than five, may elect one of its members then in attendance to hold the court for the occasion, or the parties to any action may agree upon one of the attorneys of the court to hold the court for the trial of such action. The records show that it was the last named method which was adopted in this case.

Ed Leal was murdered in April, 1892. Charles Wear, who was charged with being his slayer, was indicted at the May term of the circuit court in the same year. Mr. R. F. Scott, who was then prosecuting attorney, entered into a written agreement with the defendant, which written agreement is now a part of the files in this case, for Mr. Henry N. Phillips to act as special judge in the trial of the case.

To write the history of this case is but to write the history of a farce. Judge Phillips' mission in the play seemed to terminate after a somewhat mysterious and unprecedented connivance by which a man charged with the wanton and unprovoked murder of his fellowman was turned loose upon society under a bond of \$10,000. After the accomplishment of this purpose, Judge Phillips wrote his resignation declining to serve further in the capacity for which he had been chosen. \*

After the resignation of Judge Phillips it became necessary to choose another to take his place, whereupon the defendant and Mr. Scott entered into a written agreement, the terms of which stipulated that Judge Thomas H. Mauldin should act in the capacity of special judge. \*

Just prior to the November election in 1892, the case was sent on change of venue to Dunklin county. Just why Mr. Scott should have sent the case to Dunklin county instead of Ripley or Stoddard is not generally understood unless it was because of Dunklin county's convenient location. It should be remarked here by way of parenthesis that this is not intended as a reflection on any of the citizens of Dunklin county, though there is, perhaps, one who deserves a fat railroad job as soon as his term of office shall have expired.

When the writer was elected to the office of prosecuting attorney his first move in this case was to write Governor Stone requesting him to appoint the attorney-general to assist in the prosecution, which was very kindly granted. Mr. Morton Jordan, the assistant attorney-general was present at the first term of court in Dunklin county, after his appointment, when the state was ready and anxious to try the case.

After the criminal docket had been called and recalled several times, and after waiting patiently two days for Judge Mauldin's appearance, we were graciously informed one evening by the defendant's counsel that they would be ready to announce the next morning. On our appearance in the court next morning we were called into one of the secret corners of the room where we were informed, in the presence of Judge Mauldin, that we could either stay in Kennett until court adjourned and then go home or go home that evening, as we pleased; that no difference what we did the result would be the same, the case would be continued. We were also informed privately by one of the attorneys for the defense that in no case would Judge Mauldin take the bench during that term unless we should agree to a continuance.

It was plain to be seen that Judge Mauldin's court the prosecuting attorney would be powerless to accomplish anything, and it was at this juncture that it was decided to reinstate Wear in this county in order that a new special judge might be elected and at least a semblance of justice obtained.

In order to get the case off the docket in Dunklin county the attorneys for the state agreed that the case might be continued generally. At no time in the history of this case did the state ask for a continuance, as may be seen by a perusal of the records.

Judge Mauldin, in assigning his reasons for discharging the defendant, said that three terms of court had passed since the indictment was returned by the grand jury, and that the defendant was therefore entitled to his release. This pretended reason was a mere subterfuge without foundation of law, but, since it has been the policy of the prosecution to reinstate, and since the defendant has not been once in jeopardy, it makes no difference in so far as final results are concerned.

I have no harsh words for the defendant nor any malice or ill will toward any member of his family who has sought his release. It would be an unnatural parent who would forsake his son in the hour of peril; but as an officer I shall proceed to do that which I conceive to be my duty, without the fear of punishment or hope of reward. W. E. RENFRO.

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